

The wireless stations are said to be able to pick up telephone conversations, which fact may have a beneficial effect upon business. It ought to cut out "telephone spooning"

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LOCAL OFFICERS CALLED TO ATOKA IN MURDER CASE

Unusual Story of Refugee Family To Be Basis of Ada Men's Testimony.

ON CHANGE OF VENUE

Killing of Johnson County Man Starts Long Chain of Investigation.

Deputy Sheriff J. B. Chapman, Assistant County Attorney H. F. Mathis, Justice of the Peace H. J. Brown, and R. C. Roland, local attorney, have been subpoenaed to appear at Atoka tomorrow to testify in the murder trial growing out of the shooting last summer of Marion Williams, former sheriff of Johnson county.

The hearing is coming up under a change of venue from Tishomingo where information on the murder is said to be so widespread as to make it difficult to draw a jury. Local witnesses were first notified to appear today at Atoka but a later communication said their testimony could not be reached before Tuesday.

Pontotoc county's connection with the murder came through an unusual chain of circumstances. These were retold today by officers who count the story one of the most unique in which they have been involved for some time.

On a sultry afternoon about August 10, 1921, a mover's wagon crawled across the Pontotoc county line, coming from the general direction of Tishomingo. On the driver's seat was Richard Lowery and huddled in the back of the van was his wife and small child. Suddenly the roar of a car, approaching from the rear, was heard and Lowery turned his team at a sharp angle from the road, at the same time laying his hand upon a shotgun which he had in readiness.

Fearing he was about to be summoned as a witness in the case and perhaps given part of the blame for William's murder, he assumed a menacing air as the automobile bearing the county attorney of Johnson county drew near.

"Don't approach this wagon or I'll fire," Lowery is said to have warned.

The Johnson county officers hurried on into Ada and secured a warrant for the man's arrest on a technical charge of carrying a weapon. When Deputy Sheriff J. B. Chapman and the Johnson county men returned and met the Lowery wagon near Abbott's store, this county, the frightened man fired and retreated into the woods, leaving his wife and child in the wagon. The woman and baby were brought into Ada and remained here almost a week. Lowery did not show up.

According to the story told by the woman, an unknown man appeared at the Lowery home a few nights before Lowery was killed and tried to induce Lowery to kill a man named Phillips. The stranger said he was Marion Williams. Several days after the murder of Williams, which was alleged to have been committed by Phillips, a band of armed men came to Lowery's home to investigate the shooting. Alarmed that he was suspected of complicity in the murder, Lowery bundled his household possessions into a wagon and hastily set out towards the south.

BANDITS ROB THEATRE OF SUNDAY RECEIPTS

LOS ANGELES, March 20.—Two bandits walked into the office of the California Theatre, in the heart of the downtown district here last night, and robbed the office safe of the day's receipts, estimated at between \$10,000 and \$12,000, according to reports to the police.

UNWRITTEN PACT FIRMLY DENIED BY U. S. HEADS

(By the Associated Press) WASHINGTON, March 20.—Charges of a non-written agreement between the United States and Great Britain to act together in any case arising under the four power Pacific treaty brought another storm of debate today in the senate. Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, started the fireworks by reading a statement said to have been made by Paul D. Cravath, a New York attorney, saying that he had "been told by every member of the American delegation" that an understanding for future co-operation between the two countries in any emergency in the Pacific had been reached at the arms conference.

The assertion was promptly denied by Senator Lodge, republican, Mass., and Underwood, democrat, Ala., both of whom were members of the delegation.

YOUTH STEALS CAR AND BRIDE FROM K. C. MAN

KANSAS CITY, March 20.—(Special)—George Kleslich 18 years old, also known as Ray F. Miller, attempted to embark on the sea of matrimony last night after taking a motor car and \$31 in money from his intended father-in-law. His plans were wrecked, however, at Rosedale, near here, where he inquired of a patrolman the route to Joplin.

A high school romance with Luella Starns, 14 years old, the intended bride who was in the car with Kleslich at Rosedale and aroused the suspicions of the officers, came to a disastrous end. The girl told Kansas City police she was forced under threat of death to accompany Kleslich.

MRS. OBENCHAIN CALMLY AWAITS ANOTHER TRIAL

Madalynne's Jury Splits And Is Discharged When Deadlock Is Certain.

OUT FIFTY-SIX HOURS

Three Jurors Including One Woman, Hold Out for An Acquittal.

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 20.—In her cell in the county jail, again facing a jury trial for the murder of J. Belton Kennedy, Mrs. Madalynne Obenchain, in whose case a jury last night disagreed and was discharged, today was resignedly waiting for tomorrow when it was expected her second trial would be set. The foreman of the jury reported it "was hopelessly divided" and after each of the nine men and three women who composed it had been asked separately and had confirmed the foreman's report, Judge Sidney N. Reeve discharged them.

The foreman, Frank W. Crockett, a retired attorney of Pasadena, told the court the division was 9 to 3, and had so stood from the first to the fifth and last ballot.

Nine for Conviction. After the court had discharged them, some of the jury told newspaper men the nine including two of the three women, favored conviction, while three, including one woman had voted for acquittal.

They said that as the "hopeless division" came on the question of guilt or innocence, they never had reached the question of the degree of guilt.

They were out approximately fifty-six hours, of which nearly twenty-four were passed in actual deliberation, they said.

Mrs. Obenchain with a pale drawn face, but otherwise displaying no sign of emotion, was in court when the jury reported. She quickly returned to her cell.

Judge Reeve set the case for tomorrow, when according to the district attorney's office, a motion will be made for the setting of a new date.

ALL OF AMERICAN TROOPS ON RHINE TO BE RETURNED

(By the Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Mar. 20.—Orders directing the return to the United States by July 1 of all American troops now on the Rhine were issued today by Secretary Weeks.

The order included the return by the end of the fiscal year of 2,000 men excepted from the previous order of several weeks ago, under which the home movement of the majority of the American Rhine contingent is now in progress.

Secretary Weeks said that the operation of two army transports now being employed in the return of the troops had been ordered continued until July 1, by which date all the forces would have been withdrawn from the Rhine.

LIVESTOCK ADVANCES ARE ANNOUNCED TODAY

(By the Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Mar. 30.—Approval of 81 advances for agricultural and livestock purposes aggregating \$1,919,000 was announced today by the war finance corporation. The loans include \$33,000 for Oklahoma.

Special to the Ladies: If you want a free car to carry you to the polls Tuesday, Phone 20. Joe McElreath Candidate for Commissioner of Public Works and Property. 3-20-1*

Francis Marion Smith devised the process of taking borax from the desert and making available for use.

Premier Jan Smuts, Who Lives in a Shoe, When His Children Get Mutinous Knows Just What to Do.



CANDIDATES OPEN MAY QUEEN FIGHT

Fourteen Contestants Start Today in Race for the College Honors.

Who will be the queen of May? This question today was put before the student body of the Teachers college, and will be preeminent for the coming two weeks. Fourteen candidates have announced for Queen of May honors and the honors attributed to her escort, Robin Hood. Voting was started today, and although attention was not great, those in charge of the election stated that it was expected to grow to fever heat just before the final close of the contest. Those elected will head the annual May Day festival held on the athletic field of the college May 1.

Contestants for May Queen and Robin Hood honors, listed from the classes and organizations which they represent, are: Graduates—Corinne Moore and Paul Watson; seniors—Grace McKeel and Lloyd Chism; junior—Violet Moore and Clifton Parker; senior prep—Roberta Allen and James Statler; junior prep—Anna Louise Shaw and Sam Little; sophomore prep—Opal Caruth and Walter Lintz freshman prep—Naomi Coon and Frank Keltner. Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority is represented in the contest by Roberta Allen and Pi Kappa Sigma sorority by Violet Moore.

Friends of the candidates, as well as interested class-mates, have already begun stirring the school political pot. Politics will be talked during the two weeks both in school and out. Each vote will cost the voter one penny and the total proceeds will be given to the finance secretary of the college annual. Miss Anna Weaver Jones, who successfully trained those taking part in the May Day festival last year, will again have charge. She expects to make the event this year more elaborate and interesting than it has even been before.

WHEAT GROWERS ORDER STARTS OPERATIONS MAY 1

CHICAGO, Mar. 20.—With 60,000,000 bushels of wheat already under contract on a 100 percent pooling basis, the American Wheat Growers association, tentatively organized at Kansas City earlier in the month, expects to begin operations by May 1, according to W. C. Kansas, Salina, Kan., one of a committee of three meeting here today to submit organization plans to Aaron Sapiro of San Francisco, general counsel.

OKLAHOMA WEATHER Tonight fair, not quiet so cold in east and south portion, probably frost; Tuesday fair, rising temperature in Southeast portion.

SICK MARINE IS GIVEN MEDICAL HELP BY RADIO

NEW YORK, March 20.—The United States government through the public health service, has undertaken long distance treatment by radio of sick and injured marines aboard vessels which do not boast a ship doctor. Dr. Ezra Kimball Prague, senior surgeon of the service here, made public last night a general order from Surgeon General Cummings, directing all public health doctors to respond to radio calls for advice in language intelligible to any layman.

Dr. Prague treated his "first radio case" Saturday night, responding to a call from the Fisher Chester Valley on which a sailor was ill. He was rewarded by a reply from the captain of the steamer who had carried out his instructions, saying "patient is improving—thanks."

TICKET SALE FOR CIRCUS LAUNCHED

Legion Men Start Today On Intensive Drive For Benefit Performance.

American Legion men of Ada opened this afternoon their first offensive in a hot campaign to sell a record number of tickets for the opening season performance here Friday and Saturday of the Honest Bill and Lucky Bill shows. Half of the proceeds are to go to Norman Howard post.

Legion committees will take the town by blocks, covering the business district this afternoon and tomorrow. They are assigned as follows: Oklahoma State bank to Santa Fe railroad, both sides of the street; Charles Johnson; McSwain theatre to old Guaranty State Bank building; Arthur Wray; Model to Rains' grocery; Clint Miers; First National Bank to Harris hotel; Albert Ross; M. and P. Bank to Levin's store; Hugh Biles; Criswell & Myers Undertaking Parlor to Katy rooms; Eugene Augustus; Twelfth street including City Hall to Jackson's Store; Audra Duncan; Sutherland Lumber company to Veterinary barn; Cary Littlefield; Deering's store north to Frisco freight depot; Robert Shannon; Twelfth street north to Townsend to Oil Mill; Bill Gay; High school; Rev. Richard Hatch; Teachers' College; Walter Wray.

Later in the week a group of girls will serve as a "mop up" squad in the ticket sale.

WANTED Good, clean cotton rags.—Ada News.

RAILWAY ASKED TO OPEN TENTH

City Attorney Files Request With Local Agent Today For New Crossing.

City Attorney Thomas P. Holt announced at noon Monday that he had filed a request with M. M. Harwell, local Katy agent, to open up Tenth street crossing, in accordance with a petition filed with the city last week by twenty-eight residents who live near the place where the M. K. & T. line crosses that street. An oil tank car stands on the Katy tracks where the crossing should be, it is set forth in the petition filed with Holt, and this it is claimed, constitutes a "nuisance" to the neighborhood.

The city attorney expressed confidence today that the company would comply with the city's request. "It will take very little work and practically no expense on the part of the railroad to comply," he said. "The car can be moved in a few minutes and then the city can put in culverts and build fills. The street has never been legally closed and I believe it will be a simple matter to open it within a short time."

JESS EMBRY IS ELECTED FOURTH WARD CHAIRMAN

Jess Embry and Mrs. Claude Pitt were elected chairman and vice-chairman respectively of fourth ward Democrats in a called meeting Saturday night to fill vacancies left by the resignation of Joe Sloan and Mrs. Tom D. McKeown. Mrs. Pitt had no opponent.

Seniors Will Devote Class Fund To Build Stadium at Okla. U.

NORMAN, March 20.—(Special)—The senior class at the University of Oklahoma will devote their memorial fund to the success of a stadium for the University they decided this week. They have named themselves the "Stadium Class" and took as their slogan, "Seniors for Stadium."

By this action the senior class will contribute more than \$2,000 to the stadium fund and according to the declaration of Jacques Rone, class president, the efforts of the class will be directed toward insuring the success of the stadium drive.

In addition to the material aid in donating the largest sum yet proposed by any class in the university, the seniors have pledged themselves individually to aid the drive for the stadium fund by spreading publicity through out their home communities.

PONCA CITY SEEKING DEMPSEY-LEWIS MATCH

PONCA CITY, March 20.—Joe C. Miller, of the 101 Ranch, today wired an offer to Jack Dempsey, world's heavy-weight champion pugilist, and Ed "Stranger" Lewis, providing for a guarantee and percentage if their proposed match is brought to Buffalo Park, near here.

It is understood Miller has the backing of many prominent oil men of the state in attempting to bring the match here. It is the first offer to be made, Miller said today.

The park is four miles south of Ponca City and only a few blocks from the Santa Fe main line. The park is used for the annual rodeo and round-up staged by the ranch.

HARDING OFFERS NO REMARKS ON SOLDIER BONUS

Mondell Ready To Proceed Today With Compromise Plan for Veterans.

NO RUN ON TREASURY

Fears of Objectors Put At Ease By Thorough Explanation.

(By the Associated Press)

Washington, March 20.—President Harding told republican house leaders that in view of expressions on the soldier bonus he had previously made, he did not think it essential to offer any recommendation at this time.

Representative Mondell of Wyoming, who headed the house delegation, made this announcement in a formal statement and added verbally that it was the plan to go ahead with the compromise bill as recommended by the ways and means committee.

The formal statement issued by Mr. Mondell after the conference which lasted almost two hours follows:

"The legislative situation relative to the bonus bill was fully presented to the president, with detailed explanation of the provisions which removes the menace of excessive drafts on the treasury in the immediate future and avoids any provision of added taxation. The president went over the entire situation, with an appraisal of commitments made. He advised the committee that the legislation is a responsibility of congress and in view of expressions previously made, he did not think it essential to offer any recommendation."

Whether the measure was to come up today under a suspension of the rules was for Speaker Gillett to decide. Before announcing his decision Mr. Gillett planned to confer with the president.

Would Not Suspend Rules

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Speaker Gillett announced today he would not entertain a motion to suspend house rules so as to put the soldier bonus bill through the house without a chance for debate or opportunity for amendments.

Can't Get Approval

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Republican house leaders failed today to obtain presidential approval of the compromise soldier bonus bill, but went ahead with plans to put the measure through the house. Speaker Gillett refused to permit the measure to be brought up under a suspension of the rules, however, and a special rule will be adopted for its consideration.

Leaders were to confer today as to a program and time that the house consideration of the bonus would begin. House members were closeted with the president at the White House this morning for nearly two hours.

Upon leaving the executive's office Representative Mondell, issued this in writing:

INVESTIGATION OF BANK FAILURE IS RESUMED

(By the Associated Press)

OKMULGEE, Mar. 20.—Investigation into the bank failures in Oklahoma county, particularly that of the Bank of Commerce here, was resumed today by the district court grand jury after a recess since late Thursday. The work was expected to be completed before Wednesday as District Judge Mark L. Bosworth had advised the jury that he must leave Okmulgee on official business Monday.

Antofagasta, a province of northern Chile, is one of the richest sections of the world in ores of precious metals.

STATE HAS RIGHT TO FIX PRICE ON ITS NATURAL GAS

Supreme Court Rules That Refund Must Be Made To Consumers.

TOTAL NEARING \$40,000

Oklahoma City and State Corporation Commission Win Important Suit.

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Mar. 20.—The state of Oklahoma can regulate the price of natural gas, according to the pressure under which it is furnished according to a decision handed down by the supreme court today.

The case was appealed to the supreme court from the state corporation commission of Oklahoma by the Oklahoma Natural Gas company which contended that the order of the corporation commission requesting natural gas companies to rebate to consumers on gas furnished below a standard pressure fixed by the commission was invalid. The company claimed that the order penalized it for failure to supply gas "which had not been produced by nature."

Counsel for the state in the supreme court hearing in support of the order stated that the meters which measured the consumers "supply of natural gas moved with equal rapidity whether the flow of gas was at the standard pressure or not, or whether any gas at all was passing them." The rate fixed, state counsel asserted, required the consumers to pay only for natural gas used, and to protect the consumers against being charged for gas which was not delivered. The opinion was rendered by Justice Kenna.

Victory for City. OKLAHOMA CITY, Mar. 20.—Gas consumers in Oklahoma City will receive \$80,000 in rebate as a result of the decision of the United States supreme court today in declaring the state has the right to regulate the price of natural gas in accordance with the pressure under which it is furnished, according to Campbell Russell, chairman of the state corporation commission. He characterized the decision as a "great victory" for the citizens of Oklahoma City and the corporation commission.

Judge C. B. Ames, who argued the case for the Oklahoma Natural Gas company, declared the rebate would be between \$30,000 and \$40,000 for a period ranging from 1917 thru to 1919. This rebate, he said, would be paid on a ratio of two thirds for the Oklahoma Natural and one third for the Oklahoma Gas and Electric company, the distributing concerns.

Whiskey Ring Is Backed By Banks Officer Asserts

(By the Associated Press)

MIAMI, Fla., March 20.—Discovery of a whiskey smuggling ring so thoroughly organized that its contracts were backed by some Miami bankers who also acted as trustees for the funds covering large sales has been reported to prohibition commissioner Haynes, by Col. L. L. G. Nutt, of the internal revenue bureau.

"In substance," Col. Nutt's report said, "the operators brazenly propose that: 'we will contract for all the liquor you want, Scotch, Irish or champagne. We will go and fetch it.'"

The conveyance of liquor from nearby foreign shores, the report added, "was a minor transaction compared with the program for putting it ashore and shipping it to northern points."

Mrs. Edmiston To Be Buried in Nashville; Was Pioneer of City

Mrs. Sallie Edmiston, 76, for the past 16 years a resident of this city, and one of the best known ladies living here, died suddenly at her home, 428 West Fourteenth street at 3:30 Sunday morning. She was the wife of William Edmiston, who died here several years ago. She has two sons and two daughters living here, and three daughters living out of the state.

The body was shipped to Nashville, Tenn., her old home, for burial. Her daughters, Sadie and Katherine, are connected with the schools of the city, the former being employed by the county superintendent and the latter a teacher in the public schools here. John and Will, the sons are also well known here.

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BIBLE THOUGHT OF TODAY

CONTENTMENT WITH GOOD:—Better is a little with the fear of the Lord than great treasure and trouble therewith.—Proverbs 15.16.

Another confidence man, who filched two old ladies out of the savings of a lifetime, has been given twelve years. Of course he merited hanging, but that is out of the question. However, it will be many a long day until the public becomes too wise to escape being gulled by these sharpers whose stock in trade is blue sky and who live by preying on their fellows. Not many years ago it was town lots. Oklahomans bought acres of stone or sand in unheard of places in Texas or Colorado while people of those states and others bought the same sort of stuff in Oklahoma, sight unseen, of course. In spite of all warnings by the press and solid business men suckers are still plentiful and people are found who believe these peddlers of blue sky are philanthropists bent on making millionaires of their victims.

According to the almanac tomorrow will be the first day of spring. However, spring fever arrived ahead of spring itself and now we are longing for a chance to try our luck along some nice creek where the fish are hungry and biting well. That is a vision that will make any red blooded man so sick of indoor life that he will be certain to slip out the first chance he has. Then when the trees put on their green dresses and the bees are humming amid the clover blossoms the scene will be even more alluring. We are not spring poets around the News office but we love spring none the less because of this fact.

According to the Ravia News a move is on foot in Johnston county to call an election on the question of moving the county seat from Tishomingo to Milburn. It reports mass meetings held at Ravia and Mannsville in behalf of Milburn. The Mannsville meeting, it says, was attended by a delegation of Bromide, Wapanucka and Milburn citizens who urged the claims of Milburn as against Tishomingo. It appears that the other towns hold some grievances against Tishomingo and seek to square matters by taking the county seat elsewhere. A fight of this sort will liven things up a bit in our neighboring county and afford a chance for lots of oratory. Perhaps Rube Geers will have something to say next week.

All citizens should go to the polls Tuesday and register their will in the city primary. Good government can be maintained only by all good people taking part in all elections and doing their duty. Citizenship is a responsibility and one's voting duty should not be overlooked. The price of democracy is eternal vigilance, some one has said, and that is as true in a city as in a state or nation. We have enough faith in the intelligence of the voters of Ada to believe that only efficient office holders will be nominated.

Luther Burbank who has done such wonders for the human race by improving vegetable life and producing new varieties, has literally the scriptural injunction to subdue the earth. To improve on the original work of nature was one of the big problems set for man to solve and all through the centuries this has gone on. However, Burbank has undoubtedly done more than any other man in the way of thus subduing the earth and benefitting mankind.

Press dispatches indicate that there bids fair to be a surplus of teachers this year. This is explained by the fact that the falling off in other lines of business has forced many who had left the profession to return. In war times teachers became very scarce because many young men went to the army and other work paid so much better that thousands dropped out of the ranks.

Reform movements usually play out because the public after being aroused from its usual indifference soon forgets about it and goes along in the old way while the crooks never sleep. They are ready to resume their rule at the first favorable moment and this is usually only a matter of a short time.

Picking out the faults of others is poor business unless the fault finder also points out a real method of improvement. An ant crawling over the surface of the walls of the finest palace might observe imperfections left by the workmen, but he would do nothing to correct them.

Some scientific shark says most people seldom get beyond their eighteenth year in thinking and reasoning power. Probably true; real thinking is harder work than manual labor and the average mind is too lazy to stick to it long.

Every vacant lot in Ada should be planted to some crop this summer. In addition to producing something of value, such crops will keep down the weeds and make for better health and a more attractive city.

We are informed that interest in the oil fields of this county continues to grow among oil men of means. Much drilling is anticipated this spring and summer.

"BLONDIN"



The Forum of the Press

The Responsibility of Parents.

(Wichita Daily Times)
The allegation of the St. Louis police commissioner of immoral conditions prevailing in one of the high schools of that city has shaken the town from center to circumference, says the Penion Herald.

Whether the charges are true or not, the Herald says the fact remains that children are by their parents allowed entirely too much latitude in the pursuit of their own inclinations. This is true not only of St. Louis but everywhere. The Times has heretofore pointed out that certain conditions could only be met by parental restraint and discipline.

The activities of the church, state and school have been greatly enlarged within recent years and too many parents have surrendered their own responsibilities to these great and beneficent organizations. Discussing this tendency the St. Louis Globe Democrat says:

"Dr. Rachelle Yarros, consulting physician with the United States department of health, said in an interview in St. Louis yesterday: 'The fact of the matter is that boys and girls have gained a knowledge of life and are using it without full conception of its value and beauty.' That, we think, is a statement which goes right to the heart of the matter that is now of so much concern. One of the pernicious by-products of the war was the abandonment, by adults as well as youth, of many of the conventional restraints which ages of experience had proved to be wholesome. Generally speaking, the world went wild, and the children to a large extent were left without those moral moorings that are particularly needed in the years of adolescence. Not parents nor teachers nor churches are directly responsible for this. It is the result of a psychological cataclysm which swept through civilization as if nature had set out to show mankind at one time all the accumulated evils of war."

But parents and teachers and churches, particularly and chiefly the parents, are responsible for moral consequences that may ensue if the conditions so created are permitted to continue. 'What shall we do about it all?' asks Doctor Yarros, and she answers her question thus: 'Give them something to take the place of the wild entertainments they have devised for themselves. Above all give them standards at home and school to live by, that will make the future so fine and beautiful they will care only for the better things of life. Give them a vision to guide them and your problem will be solved. They will dance, they will go to shows, they will not tolerate chaparrons, so all that parents and teachers can do is to inculcate self-respect and high moral standards in the individual children under their charge."

The Corn-Fed Girl.

(McAlester News-Capital)
We have always disliked the op-probious designation of country girls as "corn-feds." We now rush to their support to deny charges that they make girls of the boulevards look like pickers when it comes to the gay arts of carrousal and im-bibing hooch.

This is a slander of the country girl that every farm-bred man should resent. The farming classes are nearest to our old American type. They have felt less of the degrading influences of the dregs of alien blood that have been flooding to our shores for centuries.

The Puritan stock of American is

on the farm. Drinking and carrousal in the wee small hours of the morning is not American. It is the influence of corrupt foreign blood. It is the result of warped continental ideas.

While not subscribing to the asser-tion that all good women live on the farm we do believe that the demoralizing influences of post war life have touched the farmer and the farmer's daughter less than any class of citizens.

If we were to propose a toast to-day we should say:
Here's to the jolly buxom farm girl, trust of American types. Here's to the milk maid and the chore girl. Her blood will give us honest Americans."

An Excellent Moral Lesson.

(Hugo News)
There is always a useful task for the man with spirit enough to make it. There is little in the world for the whiner. We are pleased with the story of Roy Schuman, former sailor, who upon finding that he had no job, took to washing rather than be idle.

"It's honest work," says Roy "Why should I not be willing to do it?"
Here is a great moral lesson for the young man or woman who is out of employment. This boy started taking washings. He rubbed out dirty clothes on a wash board. Later he made a payment on an electric washer. Now he is running a genuine laundry in the basement of his mother's home.

"Boys who will work at distasteful tasks rather than be idle are honest workmen. It is a certainty that does washing better than the average. He has built a business."

Without drawing too deadly a moral let us point that success is the reward of the man who is not afraid to toil.

FAUST GIVES REASON FOR HIS NOMINATION

To the Voters of Ada:
It has been impossible to see and talk with each one of you personally, but I wish to state that if an efficient and honest service is wanted for the next two years in the office of commissioner of Public Works and Property, I feel qualified to meet the requirements. If elected I intend to try to save the citizens some money and lower our taxes, also on all public work to use home labor. I shall take care of the citizens' interest to the best of my ability. Thanking you for your support, I am
Yours for service,
J. D. FAUST.

GOLF NOW POPULAR IN STATE A. AND M. SPORTS

STILLWATER, Mar. 18.—Although the game of golf arrived as a babe in swaddling clothes last year to take its place in the family of athletics here, it is ready this year to stalk fourth in long trousers and guide his devotees over the bunkers and hazards of two good courses. The Stillwater golf club has leased a 94-acre tract for its course while a municipal links is in existence at the county fair grounds.

MEASLES
VICKS
VAPORUB
One 17 Million Men Used Vicks

VICTIMS OF CHILDRESS TRIPLE TRAGEDY BURIED

CHILDRESS, Tex., March 18.—Funeral services for Joe Scott, 19, Mary Leach 16, and B. R. Crowe, 50, victims of a tragedy yesterday in which Crowe shot and killed Scott and the girl, his step-daughter, then killed himself, will be held here this afternoon. Crowe's action was due to friendship between Scott and the girl, to which he objected, according to officers.

DUNCAN—Speeding near the school buildings of Duncan will be stopped if a campaign that has been undertaken by the Kiwanis club is effective. Cars pass school grounds at speeds ranging from 25 to 40 miles an hour, it is said.

Political Announcements City of Ada

The News is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the respective offices of the city of Ada, subject to the primary election:

FOR MAYOR—
W. H. FISHER
W. T. MELTON
GARY KITCHENS
U. G. WINN

For Commissioner of Public Works and Property:
J. D. FAUST
E. W. WALKER
HENRY KROTH
WALTER S. SMITH
JOE McELREATH
A. T. McANALLY
P. H. DEAL

For Commissioner of Accounting and Finance:
CHARLEY DEEVER
LEE DAGGS
MRS. TOM HOPE
W. E. MOONEY

The News is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the offices named, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

State Offices

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE:
WAYNE WADLINGTON
D. W. HUFFAR

For State Senator:
W. H. BEEBY

For State Insurance Commissioner:
E. W. HARRIN

County Offices

For County Superintendent:
F. E. GRAY
A. FLOYD—(Re-election)
A. T. WATSON
MRS. FARRIE BRITT

For County Clerk:
RIT IRWIN

For County Weigher:
J. M. (JIM) BYRD
JOHN WARD—(Re-election)
GEORGE C. BEVEL

For County Attorney:
A. C. CHANEY

For Sheriff:
JOE E. SLOAN
BOB DUNCAN

For County Treasurer:
J. I. LAUGHLIN
J. W. (JIM) WESTBROOK
ORRIN NELSON

For County Tax Assessor:
NICK HEARD—(Re-election)

For Court Clerk:
L. E. FRANKLIN

For Justice of the Peace:
JOSEPH ANDERSON

County Commissioner, Dist. No. 2.
CHARLEY LARSMAN
I. R. GRAMORE

A FINAL WORD FROM P. H. DEAL

To the Voters of Ada:
It has been impossible for me to see and talk with each of you and I take this method of making a final statement, before the primary. It is the duty of each of the Commissioners to make a written report of the transactions in his office and file this report with the Commissioner of Accounting and Finance, at the end of each month. By doing this, each Commissioner is able to keep a check on his department and in the office of Commissioner of Public Works, this method enables you to keep a correct account of all material used, together with material on hand. By consulting the files you will find that I made such report, each month and performed such other duties, as were required of me, by the charter. If elected again, my promise is, that I will faithfully follow the charter and all ordinances governing this department and will endeavor to see that the tax payers of Ada get 100 cents value of every dollar spent. The state laws are very plain, on the question of paving and all special assessment work, but by having a city engineer and employing home labor this work can be done much cheaper than it can be done under the present system. I only ask that you give me an honest and fair consideration without bias or prejudice and I will be satisfied with your decision. Yours for efficient government.
3-20-It P. H. DEAL.

Weather Is Basis of Gambling Ring Nabbed by Police

ST. LOUIS, Mar. 18.—Police today announced they had discovered the existence here of a gambling pool based upon weather temperatures, with the confiscation of 1,000 tickets which were found in the possession of William Gardner, a salesman, who is under arrest. The tickets were priced at 25 and 50 cents and prizes for winning numbers ranged from \$1 to \$1,000, according to the police, who said the lucky numbers were selected by taking the last number of a few selected temperature readings. Gardner's arrest followed the delivery by him of a ticket to a patrolman in plain clothes.

Minnesota Meetings of Parties Booked For March 18 to 21

(By the Associated Press.)
ST. PAUL, Minn., Mar. 17.—Republican and Democratic county conventions will be held in Minnesota, March 18 and 21 respectively, to select delegates to district and state conventions, where candidates for partisan state officers will be endorsed. Precinct delegates to the county conventions were selected in the primary election last Tuesday, March 14, under the provisions of the state law passed at the 1921 legislative session, calling for endorsement conventions. The republican county conventions March 18 will elect a county committee and a county chairman, as well as select delegates for the congressional district conventions, March 30, and the state convention in St. Paul, March 31. The state gathering will include 1,088 delegates. Similar procedure will attend the Democratic county convention March 21, when 1,070 delegates will be chosen for the party's state convention in Minneapolis, March 31. State leaders of the Non-partisan league movement have called a state-wide mass meeting for March 31, to be held in Minneapolis, when that organization's campaign policy will be determined. At the republican and democratic district conventions, March 30, party candidates for congress will be endorsed, and at the state conventions, candidates for United States senator, governor and other state offices for a partisan nature, will be approved. The candidates then enter the June primary bearing this endorsement. Action of a convention does not prevent an unendorsed candidate from seeking the nomination for a certain office in either party in the primary, but such candidates must enter the primary as "independents" while convention endorsed candidates are so indicated on the ballot.

Demos Leader Left \$271,765.

NEW YORK, Mar. 18.—An estate valued at \$271,765 was left by William F. McCombs, chairman of the democratic national committee when Woodrow Wilson was first nominated for the presidency, according to appraisals filed yesterday by the New York state tax commission. Mr. McCombs died February 22, 1921.

Marriage License.

Arthur Polk, 23, Francis, and Miss Pearl Estes, 18, Francis; Varner Oliphint, 20, Francis, and Miss Bon-dola Barton, 18, Fitzhugh; G. E. Myers, 22, Drumright, and Miss Vera Salmon, 19, Ada.

New Arrivals in "Cadillac" Gingham Dresses for Women and Misses

They are so dainty and pleasing in style that you will feel well dressed and look attractive at all times. They are patterned in checks, plaids and combinations of Tissues, Zephyrs, and Organdies of colorful range and amazingly pretty styles.

WOMEN'S CADILLAC DRESSES
—\$4.45 to \$15.00
CHILDREN'S CADILLAC DRESSES
—\$2.45 to \$7.50



Kiddies Smart Play Suits in New Spring Styles

Neat little Wash Suits for kindergartens and boys too small for school. Made of staunch fabrics, fast colors, strong workmanship with trim little collars, belts and pockets to add to their trim appearance. Made of fine Cotton Wash Fabrics; sizes 2 to 8 years.

—\$1.95 to \$4.45

New Middle Blouses Practical, Serviceable, Becoming

These Middies will be the immediate choice of every school miss as they are the favorite "regulation style" long sleeved and with braid trimmed collar and cuffs, shown in white and red, white and pink, and white and blue; also solid colors; sizes 8 to 20.

—\$1.50 to \$3.45

ESTABLISHED 1903
SIMPSON'S
THE SURPRISE STORE
115-117 WEST MAIN ST.

HOME BUILDING HITS
MARKED UPWARD TREND

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 20.—Marked stimulation in home construction is shown in contracts awarded during the last three months as reported to the department of commerce. The department announced today that in 27 states in the northeast quarter of the country building contracts awarded in December totaled \$101,000,000 and in January and February \$75,000,000 each. When normal, it was pointed out, these months are of less activity in building, but the contracts totals compare with a monthly average of \$73,000,000 in 1921.

LADIES! DARKEN
YOUR GRAY HAIR

Use Grandma's Sage Tea and Sulphur Recipe and Nobody Will Know.

The use of Sage and Sulphur for restoring faded, gray hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time. She used it to keep her hair beautifully dark, glossy and attractive. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, the simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect.

But brewing at home is messy and out of date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get this famous old preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients, which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two it becomes beautifully dark and glossy.—Adv.

MCSWAIN
THEATRE
"The Playhouse of Character"
...TODAY...

A Paramount
Super-Special

Ladies
Must
Live

featuring

Betty Compson

Produced by and the last
picture made by

George Loane Tucker

The maker of "THE MIRACLE
MAN"—Be sure you see this
wonderful masterpiece.

ALSO SHOWING

Two Reel Century Comedy

The
Dumbell

Admission 10c and 25c

City News

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Have your Photo made at West's.

Dr. Coltrane, osteopathic physician.
3-3-1m

Vote for Good Government and
W. T. Melton for Mayor. 3-20-11

Hair cuts 25c. Dorsey's Barber
Shop. 3-14-1m*

H. G. Huffman left today for
Rochester, Minn., where he is taking
his wife for medical treatment.

Russell Battery Co. Willard Ser-
vice and sales. Phone 140. 3-6-1m

Motor Sales Co.—Parts and ac-
cessories for all cars. 3-4-1mo

Vote for Good Government and
W. T. Melton for Mayor. 3-20-11

W. W. Gaines of Stonewall was a
business visitor in the city this
morning.

A line of spring capes and coats
received this morning at Burk's
Style Shop. 3-20-2td

One second hand Ford truck for
sale. Terms. W. E. Harvey. 3-7-1f

Watch for the Honest Bill Shows
24th and 25th. Auspices American
Legion. 3-17-6t

Mrs. Dan Beauvill is reported im-
proved today, after being confined to
her home for several days.

Oiled paper for wrapping butter.
Tablet of 250 sheets 50c.—News
Office. 3-20-2td

Our line of suits, they call them
"Spiffy"—will you see them?—
Burk's Style Shop. 3-20-2td

The American Legion has charge
Honest Bill Shows Friday and Sat-
urday, March 24 and 25. 3-17-6t

Two blocks of graveling are now
being started on East Ninth street,
from Francis to Stonewall avenues.
Part of the gravel has been hauled.

It is better to be careful than to be
sorry. Vote for W. T. Melton for
Mayor. 3-20-11

Rooms by day or month. Hatcher
rooms, corner 12th and Townsend.
3-15-1mo

Taffeta and Crepe dresses of un-
usual beauty and smartness.—
Burks Style Shop. 3-20-2td

Work has been started on gravel-
ing a block on East Seventh street,
adjoining the Mississippi Avenue
paving on the east.

Home Laundry, 511 West Main,
phone 133 or 883. 3-10-1m

McCarthy Bros. can fix that old
tire or tube. Phone 855. 2-1-1mo

Honest Bill and Lucky Bill com-
bined shows, March 24 and 25. Aus-
pices American Legion. 3-17-6t

Contractors report good progress
in the construction of three houses
for Daniel Hayes on his property
in the block just west of the Teach-
ers college on Main street.

All the latest styles in ladies
spring slippers. Burk's Style shop.
3-20-2td

Now is the time for all good men
and women to rally to the support
of good government by voting for
W. T. Melton for Mayor. 3-20-11

Home grown frost-proof cabbage
50c per hundred. Ada. Greenhouse.
3-14-1f

Furniture repairing at reasonable
prices. Jackson Bros., phone 438.
3-8-1f

Silk Sweaters and a line of pretty
blouses at Burk's Style Shop.
3-20-2td

W. L. D. Unsell is having a
5-room dwelling house built on his
property at the corner of Sixth and
Hope.

Help the American Legion by at-
tending Combined Lucky and Hon-
est Bill Shows next Friday and
Saturday. 3-17-6t

Thomas Motor Co., for battery
service. Phone 163. 212 West 12th.
11-28-1f

You can now buy a Ford on the
monthly payment plan. W. E. Harvey
3-7-1f

Suits cleaned and pressed \$1.00.
—J. L. Newton, Tailor. Phone 665.
3-2-1mo*

The American Legion is depend-
ing upon you next Friday and Sat-
urday to see Honest Bill shows.
3-17-6t

The local post of the American
Legion was making preparations to-
day for widespread advertising of
the opening performance of the
Honest Bill and Lucky Bill shows
here Friday and Saturday.

Do you want a suit or spring
wrap that can not be duplicated for
style and price? Burk's Style Shop.
3-20-2td

Do you want honesty, ability and
character in the Mayor of your
city? If so make assurance doubly
sure by voting for W. T. Melton.
3-20-11

We loan you a battery while re-
pairing yours. Kit Carson. Phone
2, 225 East Main. 1-2-1mo

If you want tire service and ser-
vice tires—see us for Federals.—
Thee Square Deal. 2-28-1mo

MRS. TOM HOPE
MAKES STATEMENT

On the eve of the election I wish to express to the voters of Ada my confidence of their support tomorrow in my campaign for the office of commissioner of Accounting and Finance, and to thank you in advance for voting for me. I regret I could not make a house to house campaign to solicit your vote as did my opponents but I could not leave the office and give you the service to which you are entitled. I have the records and books of this office now in good shape and I promise to keep them so if elected Commissioner of Accounting and Finance. The city's funds are in three banks of this city and more than amply protected with indemnity bonds.

As I have stated all through this campaign, I am confidently expecting the vote of the women of Ada because I have worked with them for more than twenty years in every movement to better conditions in Ada. Women are just as much interested in good government for our city as men are and are justly entitled to have a woman on the board of commissioners. As to needing the position, I presume all four candidates need the money this office pays a commissioner—I am very sure I do, or I certainly would not work or ask you to vote for me—but what the city needs is not someone for the office to keep up, but someone who can KEEP THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE IN GOOD SHAPE. I have put it in excellent condition at a critical time and certainly I can keep it so from now on. Yes, I employed a book-keeper two months, according to agreement to get things quickly in shape to give you service and I have paid him out of my salary. He did nothing more than I was paying him for which I can and have since been doing. Not a man or woman who knows me doubts my capability or my honesty, and those are the two most necessary qualifications for the office of Commissioner of Accounting and Finance. Men or women, our forefathers fought the fatherland because they could not have representation in the governing of the Colonies—representation of the governed is the foundation of our democracy. We, women, share with you the responsibility of the governed since you have given us the right to vote.

Tomorrow, by your vote, say you believe women are entitled to a woman representative on the board of Commissioners. To both men and women, if you want capability in office, careful guarding of the city's funds, and courteous treatment at all times, you will cast your vote for

MRS. TOM HOPE
For the office of Commissioner of Accounting and Finance.

If you wish a car sent for you to come to the polls to vote call number 9 after 8:00 a. m., or 680 Monday night. I'll be glad to send for you. 3-20-11

Women Enter Pleas
of Guilty To Riot in
Pittsburg Field

(By the Associated Press)
PITTSBURG, Kan., March 20.—The marching women of the Kansas coal fields whose action last December here was brought to an end with the arrival of troops to assist the sheriff, pleaded guilty to unlawful assembly before Judge A. J. Curran in the Crawford county district court this morning.

Pleas of guilty for the women defendants and for several men—45 defendants in all—were announced to Judge Curran by Phil Callery, attorney for the defendants. C. B. Griffith, assistant attorney general, directing the prosecution, told the court the state was willing to dismiss the charges of peace disturbance against several of the defendants.

Too Late To Classify

FOR SALE—Two modern 5- and 6-room houses and one for rent. Small amount of cash will handle the deal. See Mrs. Burden, 532 North Francis Ave. 3-20-3td*

GENERAL POLICY GROUP
OF MINERS CALLED IN

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The general policy commission of the Union Miners of America was called today to meet Friday in Cleveland to formulate a policy to be followed by the bituminous miners when work is suspended April 1. The call was issued by John L. Lewis, international president.

Plenty of money for city loans,
ready to pay out now. See Abney &
Massey. Phone 782. 1-18-1mo

We loan you a battery while re-
pairing yours. Ada Storage Battery
Co. Phone 40. 3-6-1m

For prompt delivery and reason-
able prices. Phone 295. White's
Grocery. 2-13-1mo*

Furniture Repairing, work called
for and delivered. Phone 209. Frank
Monroe. 2-15-1mo.

Men half soles \$1; ladies 75c.—
Mistake Shoe Shop, 217 W. Main.
3-7-1mo.

For real battery service call Ada
Storage Battery Co., phone 40.
3-6-1m

Special Call Meeting.
Initiation, nomination of officers.
Lunch. All Elks attend.—H. Claude
Pitt, Sec. 3-18-2td

Skilled repair work on all makes
of batteries at reasonable prices. Kit
Carson, Phone 2, 225 East Main.
1-2-1mo

THAT BIG BOOB OF
A MANAGER INSULTED
ME JUST NOW AND
I QUIT RIGHT
ON THE SPOT.



Delphians are Hostess.

Tuesday, March 14, marked one of the principal social and literary events of the season. It was the annual open meeting of the Delphian Literary club, at which members were hostesses to invited guests at the home of Mrs. H. W. Wells.

Mrs. Ed Granger, the retiring president, presided in her usual gracious manner. Members responded to roll call with descriptions of favorite paintings. The program consisted of a resume of the year's work. Mrs. R. H. Couch reviewed the art of the galleries of Belgium and Mrs. Cora McKeel gave an interesting description of the Louvre art. Mrs. Wells brought the Vatican of Rome before the guests in such a realistic manner that they seemed to see with the eye of imagination the panoramic whole.

The art of our own country was presented by Mrs. Robert Wimlish. She brought out most forcefully the idea that our American museums, unlike the European, depict the growth of both foreign and American art, by possessing rare examples of antiques of the entire world. During the social hour refreshments consisting of salad and ices were served.

Several guests decided to join the members in next year's study.

WIRELESS SENDS
MESSAGE TO ADA

Local Set Picks Up Press
and Weather Dispatches
Broadcasted to Ships.

The first wireless message in the history of Ada has been received here.

This message came in over the new wireless telephone and telegraph receiving set installed at the home of Fred Ford, Twentieth and Townsend, Sunday by Mr. Ford and Powell West, employee of the Ada News and a former naval wireless operator.

On account of heavy electrical disturbances the men were unable to get complete messages, and no telephone conversations were picked up because the complete set of coils for the instrument has not yet arrived here. Operators picked up a broadcast message from Arlington, Va., giving the weather forecast and press to ships at sea. They later managed to pick up messages from several ships at sea.

As soon as coils for the set arrive another attempt will be made to get telephone conversations. It is expected that within a short time wireless messages and wireless telephone conversation from all parts of the country will be possible. This is the first set to be erected in the city and has attracted considerable attention.

FLOYD EXPLAINS
CALL FOR ANNUAL
SCHOOL MEETING

Increased interest in the annual school meetings to be held over the county, March 28, brought a barrage of questions today to the office of the County Superintendent A. Floyd.

"We are receiving many inquiries from school board members as to what matters should be brought to the attention of the patrons at the annual school meeting," Mr. Floyd said.

"The annual meeting for the common school districts, consolidated districts, and independent districts, not cities, is held on the last Tuesday of March which is the twenty-eighth of this month. The date for the annual meeting in the union graded districts was not changed and is held this year on June 3.

"The law provides that at the annual meeting the excess levy can be voted and this should be done on the twenty-eighth of this month, and failure to vote on the levy then will necessitate the excise board calling a special election late in the summer. On the date of the annual meeting the patrons can make an approximate estimate that will give them some idea of what the schools will need for the next year, and in this way vote intelligently on the excess levy.

"The date for making the annual estimate was not changed. The boards in the common school districts, consolidated and independent districts, not cities, meet on the second Tuesday of July, and make the annual estimate and attach to it the certificate of excess levy voted on the day of the annual meeting, and file the estimate with the county clerk, who is the clerk of the excise board. The district officer to be elected this year is the clerk. The law effecting transfers was not amended. The applications must be filed each year not later than June 1.

"Teachers may be employed after March the first and prior to the annual meeting, provided the teacher is the holder of a certificate that is valid for the length of the term designated in the contract." (Refer to Section 86-1921 School Law.

ITCHENS STANDS
ON HIS RECORD

In a last-minute statement today to voters of the city Mayor Gary Ickens, candidate for re-election, declared positively that he stood on his own merits rather than on the "dimers" of other candidates for the job.

"My record is my recommendation. I invite a thorough inspection of it and have not covered up a page. The Chamber of Commerce has concurred with me in everything and I am standing flat-footed upon the history of my administration. The city is in excellent financial condition. As proof of that I invite your attention to the following statement, made by the commissioner of finance and accounting for the month of February:

Cash in Bank, Feb. 1—\$ 79,693.35
Receipts for February— 32,674.42

Total —————\$112,367.77
Cash in Bank, Feb. 28—\$ 94,217.91
Disbursements for Feb. 18,149.86

Total —————\$112,367.77
In addition to this the City of Ada owns Bonds to the amount of \$35,000.00. Total assets, \$147,367.77.

The City of Ada is a business institution and is being run on business principles. 3-20-11

SCALE COMMITTEE
OF OPERATORS IN
MEETING TODAY

(By the Associated Press)

OKMULGEE, March 20.—Ten men comprising the joint scale committee of the Southwestern Coal Operators association and the Oklahoma Operators association were meeting here today to perfect plans for new contracts with District 21, United Mine Workers of America, when the present contract expires on April 1. They are expected to formulate demands which they will seek to have written into the new contract.

In addition the committee is scheduled to discuss conditions that confront operators in the coal fields at Henryetta and hear reports of individual operators ever clauses they wish inserted in the contract to cover special conditions.

Headquarters of the southwestern association are at Kansas City, while the Oklahoma association headquarters are at McAlester.

TWO MEN KILLED
AS PLANE FALLS
ON SMOKESTACK

DALLAS, Tex., March 20.—One man was killed and another injured when their airplane crashed into the top of the 110 foot smokestack of the Oak Cliff pumping station today. The man killed was said to be named Mahaffey. C. W. Childress was injured. Both lived in Ft. Worth.

The plane fell when it hit the stack and was demolished. No one is known to have seen the crash.

On hearing the sounds of the crash, workers in the pumping station ran out and extracted the two men. Childress was taken to the Emergency hospital by a passing autoist. The body of the other man was sent to an undertaking establishment. First reports of the accident did not indicate the cause.

COLBERT ITEMS

Bro. Nettles preached to large crowds at both services Sunday. Mr. Earnest and family motored to Steedman Sunday.

During the rainstorm Thursday night lightning struck Mr. McCurry's barn killing a fine mare and a heifer. No other damage done. Mr. Henry organized a Ladies' Aid society Sunday night. The following officers were elected: Mrs. J. McAnally, president; Mrs. Henry, vice-president; Miss Grace Hyder, secretary-treasurer. Fourteen members were enrolled.

Mr. and Mrs. Cassidy of Egypt visited at Colbert Sunday.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The state of Arkansas's petition to intervene in the boundary dispute between Oklahoma and Texas was denied today by the supreme court.

THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY



The young lady across the way says she overheard her father tell her mother that his banker is uxorious but she guesses it must be a mistake, as she never heard anything against him before and he has such a nice wife too.

Western Coal Mines
To Make Their Own
Wage Scale Tables

KANSAS CITY, Mar. 18.—The Trans-Mississippi Coal Operators association with mines in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Iowa, will make its own wage scale after April 1 and will not permit some other district to make the basic scale "in which we have no voice or vote," Harry N. Taylor, of Kansas City, chairman of the association, wrote Secretary of Labor Davis today.

Mr. Taylor's letter was in reply to one received from Mr. Davis.

Special Call Meeting.

Initiation, nomination of officers.
Lunch. All Elks attend.—H. Claude
Pitt, Sec. 3-18-2td

Grove's
Tasteless
Chill Tonic

Makes the Body Strong.
Makes the Blood Rich. 60c

NOTICE TO AUTOMOBILE OWNERS OF ADA

How long since your crank case was drained and washed? It must be drained every 500 miles in order to give the motor justice.

Drained and washed FREE at the
A-1 FILLING STATION, 230 West Main
Visible oil and gas, you see both quality and quantity.

I handle the best 30x3 1-2 U. S. Tires for \$10.90.
TEXACO OILS AND GAS — A. G. ADAIR

Texaco Gasoline

Refining gasoline from crude oil is a separation process and be likened to the process of skimming cream from milk. Skim the top layer from milk and you have pure cream, dip a little farther and you get cream and milk, below this is milk only.

Gasoline is the first thing that comes from crude oil in the refining process. In the scientific refining process of Texaco Gasoline, we sell only the first gasoline that comes out, a gasoline that is dry, volatile and homogeneous. If in the process of separation we dipped a little farther, like one would dip farther into a bottle of milk for cream we would get both cream and milk; whereas, in gasoline refining we would get kerosene.

A great many of the gasolines which are sold on the market at this time are manufactured by dipping down into the crude oil, which gives you a product which is equally one-half kerosene, the other half of course being gasoline, while Texaco Gasoline is always a uniform, dry product.

WALTER N. WRAY
DEALER

226-28 East Main Street

Why Wait for
Easter?

It's late this year—April 16; too late for folks who like to be first to show the new styles.

Everything is new in coats and suits; stocks are complete; of the many models of which we have but one or two of a kind, some one is coming in early to pick out just the one you would choose—and why shouldn't that someone be you.

Suits in Tricotine, Gaberdine, Tweeds, Jerseys, and Twill Cord priced exceedingly low.

\$22.50 and up

Coats in the beautiful loomed Bolivias, Velours, and other weaves.

\$9.50 and up

Shaw's
DEPARTMENT STORE

With the Women of Today

By EDITH MORIARTY

Belgian women cannot complain that their sex is discriminated against in the matter of receiving honors, for just recently a woman was awarded one of the highest honors in the country. She was elected a member of the Belgian Academy. Madame la Comtesse de Noailles is the woman who has received this honor and she has the additional distinction of being the first woman member of the Belgian Academy.

WOMEN IN RUSSIA

Mme. Alexandra Kollanty, one of the leaders of the Russian feminist movement, charges in an article she has written in the "Pravda" that petty bourgeois narrowness and superstitions are preventing women having the voice they merit in the soviet government.

She says that no woman was a voting delegate at the communist conference preceding the ninth all-Russia soviet congress held at Moscow, and that only twenty-four women are included among the 2,000 voters at the congress, despite the fact that 50 percent of Russian voters are women.

She alleges that women are very few in the soviet government, percent of the membership of town soviet is represented by women, and in the village soviet they have only two-tenths of 1 per cent of the membership.

Furthermore, she states, there are only five women members in the central executive committee of 300, which is Russia's chief governing body.

Mme. Kollanty declares that such discrimination against women greatly retards the re-establishment of agriculture, in which peasant women play an important part.

ODD BITS ABOUT WOMEN

Miss Mabel Gessner of Baltimore, Md., has the unique honor of being made a passenger agent by the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. She is the first woman ever to hold such a position. Her special work will be the development of passenger travel for women, with a view to making it more comfortable and efficient.

Only twenty-five percent of the number of girls reported missing each year in the United States come



Mme. la Comtesse de Noailles.
from the slums.

Of the large number of women wage-earners in the United States 43 percent belongs to the colored race.

Miss Frances B. Johnston of Kentucky is probably the only woman artistic gardener in the United States.

Miss Josephine G. Adams is assistant superintendent of documents in the government printing office in Washington.

Miss Dorothy Gee a native of Canton, China, and who is now in charge of the credits and loans of the oriental department of one of the leading banks of San Francisco is said to be the only Chinese woman banker in the world.

Miss Miriam West of Minneapolis and Miss Buleah Hurley of New Hope, Pa., both of whom are Quakers, were the first American women to enter Russia under American relief administration auspices.

CHINESE ROYALTY, DEPENDING ON GOVERNMENT, NEAR STARVING

(By the Associated Press)

PEKING, March 15.—Members of the royal family and other Manchurian nobles who are totally dependent upon the Central government of the Republic for their living allowances, are finding themselves destitute of the necessities of life due to the non-payment of their means of sustenance. Lack of clothing and foodstuffs is making their situation desperate and they are consequently clamoring for extra allowances which it is the custom for them to receive at the time of the Chinese New Year.

A petition has been addressed to the president requesting that the arrears of pay due to the Imperial household and amounting to some \$2,000,000 be remitted as soon as possible with a view to relieving the distress of the royal family as well as of the Manchurian officials connected with the household.

Recent auctions of the priceless Chinese curios in the possession of the representatives of the old regime have been held with this same purpose in view. Imperial treasures which have always been the personal belongings of the emperors of the Ching Dynasty have been sold to the highest bidder in order to relieve the pecuniary distress of the present day members of the dynasty.

Teachers Far Behind.

Teachers in the eight government schools in Peking are also so far behind in the pay due them from the Central government that they have again and again threatened to strike and have only been kept in office by the repeated promises of the officials of the ministry of education that their arrears of salary would soon be forthcoming. The approach of the Chinese New Year has made the teachers' situation desperate but their final demands brought forth the desired check for \$220,000 which represented at least part payment. When however, these checks were presented at the bank for payment the bank refused to honor them, stating that the Ministry of Finance had no funds on hand to cover them.

Every attempt on the part of the teachers to cash their checks met with failure and on the eve of the New Year they announced that unless their checks were immediately honored or they were paid in specie in some other way, they would resign their positions in favor of those who could afford to hold them without pay.

Naval officers have taken the matter of delayed pay into their own hands and seized the salt revenue in the Province of Kiangsu in order to make up the arrears which the government seemed unable to pay. Their action, they announced, was caused by absolute necessity, they had not received any pay for seven months and they were only too willing to turn back what they had taken from the salt revenue if their pay was forthcoming through regular channels.

The Military governor of Kiangsu telegraphed the central government that he himself would seize \$700,000 of salt revenue in order to pay the navy if the government found itself unable to cope with the situation.

PASSION PLAY TO START ON MAY

Small Bavarian Village Besieged by Requests for Accommodations.

OBERAMMERGAU, Bavaria, March 18.—Preparations for the first revival of the Passion Play have progressed sufficiently to enable a committee of elders to announce that the final dress rehearsal will be held May 9. The first regular performances will be given on May 14.

Thirty-five thousand applications for seats and sleeping accommodations already have been received from abroad and, while the local management has not yet received indications as to the extent to which Germans will patronize the production of the play, it assumes that German attendance will more than quadruple the foreign patronage.

Anticipating an unusual influx of visitors in July and August, the management has decided to give Wednesday performances during these months.

Economic conditions have obliged the village elders considerably to amplify their directing staff, not so much as concerns the production of the play as to solve the problem of accommodating thousands of visitors for whom the comforts and conveniences of travel, before the war are now not available.

Rural Peasants Shocked.—The conditions under which the play will be revived this year have shocked the rural simplicity of these peasant play producers and, while determined to prevent the sacred enterprise from becoming basely commercialized, they are now beginning to realize that the war's aftermath has produced an economic environment with which they are compelled to reckon.

The municipality of Oberammergau has promptly rejected a proposition that it levy a tax on foreign visitors which, it declares, would be out of harmony with the origin and traditions of the play and also would conflict with the purpose of the present revival which is regarded as one way of achieving reconciliation between Germany and the other nations. The town fathers, however, announce that they have been forced to assume a considerable initial expense in preparing for the production, reconstructing the theater which will seat 4,300 spectators and in providing costumes.

Oberammergau also is sadly in need of municipal improvements to give the village a presentable attire when the first guests arrive. A new church bell alone called for an outlay of 17,000 marks while repaving of the main streets has cost almost as much.

Village Depends on It.—All told, this hamlet which, in peace times, had a budget of insignificant proportions already has staked its municipal existence on the outcome of this year's productions.

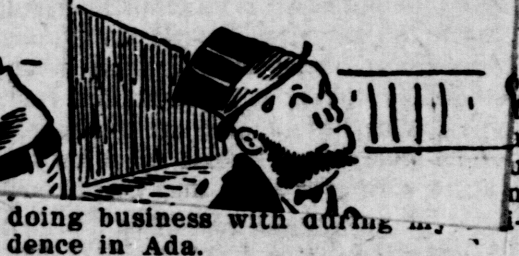
Oberammergau will be able to furnish accommodations for 1,000 visitors who prefer to sleep in the village in order to be on hand for the early opening performances. Unterammergau, close by, is arranging quarters for 1,500 others, while the well-known convent at Ettal, half an hour's travel distant, is preparing to install 500 emergency cots. Thus the management of the play believes that it will be amply able to accommodate the overflow of visitors.

Stern rebuke awaits the profiteer who should attempt to conduct a lunch stand here in defiance of established regulations or violate fixed price schedules. In fact, illegitimate dealers and speculators of all categories are being emphatically informed that Oberammergau is bound to prove disappointing to them if they regard it as an opportunity for a quick clean-up.

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Yours respectfully,
CHARLEY DEEVER.

3-20-1t

SCHOLARSHIP TO BE AWARDED BY O. U. HONORARY

NORMAN, Okla., March 20.—(Special)—The University of Oklahoma chapter of Phi Beta Kappa national honorary scholastic fraternity, membership in which carries with it the highest scholastic honor possible for a student to attain while in a university, will select under-graduate students for membership some time this month and initiation will be held publicly April 4, according to Dean Julien C. Monnet, president of the Norman chapter.

Dr. E. A. Birge, president of the University of Wisconsin and of the United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa will be the principal speaker at the initiation banquet and will give an address to the student body in chapel Tuesday morning, April 4. He will also conduct the initiation ceremonies which are held in public.

Professor Victor H. Kulp, of the law school, heads the committee that is now compiling the grades of seniors and juniors in the college of arts and science to determine what students are eligible for election. Very high scholastic work is required although there is no set record for the student to obtain to make Phi Beta Kappa. Students from the junior class to be selected will not exceed six in number.

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Sonner Fans Lament Recent Cancelling of Wrestling Match

(By the Associated Press)

NORMAN, Mar. 18.—Sooner wrestling fans are lamenting the recent cancellation of a match with the Central State Teacher's college. The O. U. mat men had hoped to

secure an even break for the season by defeating the teachers. The record for the Sooner team is three wins and two losses, and there are no other matches scheduled. There is no change to balance the score. The Sooner wrestling team entered the season handicapped by lack of equipment and training facilities, O. U. fans say. Grover C. Jacobson, coach declared the team was made a good showing for the

length of time it has been organized. Oklahoma met defeat at the hands of Ames 46-0 and suffered like treatment from the Oklahoma Aggies twice, once 36 to 12 and again 32 to 14. The Texas A. and M. aggregation, however, fell before the Sooners with a score of 27 to 23. Kansas University also went down to a 52 to 0 defeat.

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MONTY GIAMMARINARO had a steady job wearing a red soldier coat and hat, and collecting pennies for old Joe Giammarinaro. Old Joe used to come round with a hand organ every little while.

Well, one day Mary Jane was just starting for school, when Joe and Monty came along, and they played a tune. Mary Jane sat down to hear the music, and she put her lunch basket right alongside of her.

Finally Mary Jane gave Monty two cents, which he put in his little pocket. Then Monty came over and said, "Mary Jane, I bet I can hold a bigger bite in my mouth than you can." Mary Jane said she bet he couldn't. And Monty said he bet he could.

So Mary Jane opened her lunch basket and took out a great big piece of bread, with lots of rich Mary Jane

Syrup on it. She broke off a piece, and gave it to Monty, and took a piece just like it for herself.

Monty took a big bite, and he put it in his left cheek, then he took another bite, and he put this in his right cheek. It made him look very fat and sassy. Then he took another bite. He kept this right in the middle of his mouth, and he chewed it all up.

Long before Mary Jane had finished with one bite Monty had eaten his 3 bites. And then Mary Jane found that she hadn't any Mary Jane "spread" for lunch, and she had to run for school, or she'd be late. For the school bell was just starting to ring. Monty waved his hand at her, and said "Next time I tell you anything, Mary Jane, you'll believe me."

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Ten Industries Show More Employment in Month of February

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 20.—Out of 14 principal industries, 10 showed an increase in the number of persons employed in February, as compared with January while four showed a decrease according to a tabulation of reports announced today by the bureau of labor statistics of the department of labor.

The iron and steel industry with an increase of 9.3 percent and the automobile industry with an increase of 4.8 percent were first. The greatest decrease in number employed were 10.1 percent was shown, was in the cotton finishing industry.

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POLAR BEARS AND TROPICAL BEASTS MIX IN O. U. ZOO

(By the Associated Press)

NORMAN, Mar. 20.—A cosmopolitan atmosphere is to mark the establishment in enlarged quarters of the University of Oklahoma museum of natural history, plans for which are going forward rapidly. Kodiak bears from the remote mountains of cold Alaska are to repose amid reproductions of their natural habitat in glass cages along side an artificial Sahara on which rests a tired camel, weary from a long day's journey. Moose from the fastness of the northland are to stand with ever lowered heads and menacing horns ready to charge through their plate glass cells in an effort to interrupt the musings of two elephants whose minds, apparently, are in the African jungles from whence they came.

A truculent American bison is to occupy a small part of an Oklahoma plain, from which he will keep constant vigil for Indian horsemen dashing down the aisles of the museum or a prairie schooner filled with immigrants bound for a new country beyond the confines of his shriveled horizon.

All this and more is the goal toward which Prof. Ed Crabb, university taxidermist, is working; and he says that within two years he

will have a museum at the University of Oklahoma that will compare favorably with any in the Middle West. Numerous small animals and more than ten thousand birds, are now awaiting mounting and placing in the museum, he said.

Last summer Professor Crabb and C. E. Sykes of Ardmore went to Alaska to obtain specimens, and came back with the foregoing representatives of the wild life of that territory. The other specimens were already owned by the university. Mounting the animals amid their natural surroundings, Professor Crabb said, is a slow task, but five kodiak bears will be ready for exhibition when the fall semester opens in September.

The new museum is 100 feet by 80, and will accommodate the specimens which Professor Crabb hopes to display much better than the small basement quarters in which it was formerly located.

An effort is being made by the zoology department of the university to obtain specimens of all animals of the Middle West.

DUNCAN.—Duncan high school is to have its own movie shows in the future. Through the assistance of several public spirited citizens, funds have been secured for the purchase of a complete moving picture machine and a screen. They are to be installed in the auditorium at the high school.

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MELTON MAKES FINAL STATEMENT

To the Voters of the City of Ada: This campaign for primary nomination is nearing a close and tomorrow you will go to the polls to select a Mayor for your city. During the last three weeks, I have endeavored to see and talk with every voter, but I may have missed some. I have made a clean campaign and hope to be elected solely on my merits and not on the demerits of my opponents, if they have any. I believe that I am in a position to render you a high type of service.

In times past we have selected our officials from those who are political tricksters, but our recent experience has been expensive and disastrous. I believe your vote tomorrow will be dictated by the sincere desire to BETTER the conditions of our town and that you will think that the man for whom you vote is the most capable and can fill the office to the best interests of the people.

If elected Mayor, I shall endeavor to inject business principles into the administration of the affairs of the city, to stop waste, inefficiency, greed and graft, and so co-operate with the other commissioners as to insure proper returns on all money expended. If elected, I shall be in a position to render fair and impartial service to all citizens alike. My

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